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SHOT A RESISTER.

Lewis Ates and John Limbaugh Go to Jail.

John Limbaugh, better known as Cooch, and Lewis Ates, both Cape county young men, are in jail at Fredericktown as a result of resisting arrest and for other things. The former will serve 65 days and the latter 22. They were taken up Tuesday by Constable Slinkard.

About four months ago Limbaugh went to Sedgewickville and rode through the streets at a very rapid gait. He was not arrested at that time. Rudolph Conrad, who is mayor of Sedgewickville issued a warrant however, and with Deputy Sheriff Pressnell went to the picnic at Patton Saturday last. He gave the warrant to Constable Slinkard of this place to serve, at the same time pointing out Limbaugh who was on the rotary swing with a young lady. As the swing was stopping the constable informed Limbaugh that he had a warrant for him, and declared him under arrest. Limbaugh made an effort to draw a pistol from his right pants pocket, but was seized and held in the seat by the constable. In the struggle Conrad and J. D. Hahn were assisting the constable to hand out Limbaugh. John Watkins rushed out of the crowd with an open knife, apparently intending to stab some of the officers. Conrad commanded him to stop, and as Watkins continued to advance Conrad shot him, the ball striking him in the arm above the elbow, ranging upward and lodging in the shoulder. At last reports the ball had not been removed.

As the pistol was taken from Limbaugh's pocket it was knocked by him over the constables shoulder onto the swing platform. It was picked up by Wiley Neff, but was surrendered to the constable on demand.

After Limbaugh had been secured he was forced by several officers to Heitman's store. At this place Lev Ates attempted to rescue Limbaugh from the officers, striking one of them. He was ordered placed under arrest by constable Slinkard, and after resisting was arrested. The two were guarded in Heitman's mill until Monday, when they were arraigned before Justice D. F. Bollinger of German township.

Limbaugh was charged with carrying a pistol with carrying knuckles and resisting officers. Lewis Ates was charged with disturbing the peace and resisting officers. They both pleaded guilty and were brought here Monday night by constable Slinkard, Deputy Eldracher, J. D. Hahn and Charles Sharrack. Limbaugh is a man of very dark complexion and powerful build, and Ates is a smaller man. It had been reported at Patton that Limbaugh and a number of his followers were coming that day with the avowed purpose of breaking up the picnic.

Mrs. Hahn Dead.

Mrs. Ollie Hahn died at the home of her father Henry Rose, three miles east of town Tuesday morning of heart failure. She was before her marriage, about one year ago, Miss Etta Rose. She died of heart failure after a sickness of about one week. The husband has the sympathy of many friends.

Her funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Russell at Hahn's chapel yesterday and the remains were buried in the cemetery at the church.

Want Their Wages.

For the months of November and December, 1892 and January and February, 1893, just before the St. Louis, Cape Girardeau & Fort Scott railroad went into the hands of a receiver the road did not pay its employees their wages. The employees have entered suit, and the case will come before the next session of the circuit court of Cape county.

D. A. Steele arrived home from Grand Rivers, Ky., Tuesday on a visit.

FIELD WORK DONE.

Swamp Land Commission Has a Well Attended Meeting.

The Southeast Missouri Swamp Land commission met at this place last Thursday. There were present Hitt of Cape Girardeau, Jones of Butler, Lewis of New Madrid, Hunter of Scott, Garrett of Pemis cot, Sebastrian of Wayne, Deal of Mississippi, Bedford of Stoddard and Chandler of Bollinger. Shelton of Dunklin was absent. He has attended but two meetings.

The field work is done, except, perhaps, a little work that may be necessary for the completeness and accuracy of the maps and plates. Engineer Frissell and assistants are now at work on the maps and reports. The commission now has on hand a little over \$1,300 for the completion of this work. The usual monthly bills were allowed and the reports of the engineer received. The next meeting will be held at Malden, August 23, and one more meeting after that will probably complete the work of the commission.

Justice Below.

Prosecuting Attorney Caldwell tried three cases in Wayne county last week. On Monday a case against William Kinnell, charged with stealing hogs from Thomas Nee. The case was tried before Justice West, by a jury, and Kinnell was acquitted.

On Tuesday L. R. Cruse was tried before Justice J. W. Dixon, charged with disturbing the peace of the family of A. J. Cooper on July 4. Cruse was fined \$1 and costs which he paid. The same day A. J. Cooper pleaded guilty before Justice Dixon to a charge of assault and battery and was fined \$1 and costs. After Cruse had disturbed the peace of Cooper's family, Cooper proceeded to administer a good thrashing to him, and the cases resulted.

Insane Before Marriage.

In regard to his wife's insanity Jonas Masters authorizes the publication of this from the superintendent of Iowa Hospital for Insane: "A Miss Gertrude Huff was admitted on two occasions to the care of this hospital. First from December 2, 1886 to July 36, 67, when she was discharged recovered. Second, December 11, 1878 to April 2, '69, when she was discharged as recovered. We know nothing of her condition since."

H. A. GILMAN, Supt.

Mosley the Man.

The Republican convention in session at Cape Girardeau on Wednesday of last week nominated N. A. Mosley of Stoddard county for Congress. Burkhead of Douglass was placed in nomination. The first ballot was Mosley 100, Burkhead 28, and the nomination was made unanimous.

C. H. Lane was chairman of the Bollinger county delegation, and J. W. Caldwell was chosen congressional committeeman for this county.

Taken To Fulton.

Mrs. Jonas Masters was adjudged insane at a special session of county court last Monday, and sent to the state insane asylum at Fulton. She was taken there by her husband, Jonas Masters Monday.

The county judges were allowed \$5 each salary, Dr. N. C. Griffith \$5 as Medical witness C. N. Moore \$1 50 as witness.

Our Orators.

It is arranged that Vice President Stevenson, Senator Coke and Daniels, Speaker Crisp, and Representatives Wilson and Bailey will do work on the stump in Missouri for Democracy this campaign, in addition to the orators in our own state.

Dismissed.

The case against Collector Henry Zeigenheim of St. Louis, charged with embezzling \$4,102 was dismissed by special judge Green of DeSoto on account of a lack of convicting evidence.

THE INSTITUTE.

A Good Enrollment, and Hard Work.

The teachers institute opened last Monday with a good attendance, and is doing excellent work. Conductor G. B. Myers and Instructor W. A. Leoffler are in charge. The sessions are being held in the classrooms of Mayfield-Smith academy. The enrollment up to yesterday was 64, as follows:

E. W. Shepard,	C. H. Williams,
Green Myers,	R. I. Pubbar,
Will Crites,	Will Bercham,
D. F. Sadler,	James Richards,
A. Senbaugh,	E. A. Revell,
L. Smith,	A. E. Upchurch,
J. W. Nell,	John Luke,
Jasper Cooper,	Misses M. McManus,
E. McKelvey,	Hattie Sadler,
W. A. Masters,	Rachel Robins,
Peter Day,	Graes McGans,
James Chronister,	Sadie Tankersley,
George Mayfield,	Lea Stamm,
J. M. Chestner,	Lou Key,
E. M. Masters,	Ida Hallbrook,
M. I. Heitman,	Flora Willford,
Will Davault,	Ella Gibbs,
A. T. Kirkpatrick,	Little Jamison,
Milo Kigdon,	Pearl Zimmerman,
W. & L. R. Patterson,	Hope Zimmerman,
I. P. Salyer,	Chas Bowman,
Elmer Robertson,	Maggie Clingingsmith,
Robert Haghey,	Joan Talley,
Philip Reilly,	Priscilla Senbaugh,
M. L. Sanders,	Hattie Burford,
E. H. Dellinger,	Hannah Myrick,
Robert Teeters,	Belle Cochran,
J. R. Fulton,	Dora Dunn,
S. M. Dulaney,	Jettie Morgan,
	Anna Conrad,
	Mrs. Amanda Huskey.

Badly Bruised.

News comes from near Zalma of a serious fight between Thomas Perkins and Columbus Wittenberg, in which the latter was worsted. The men were working the roads, about a mile from from Zalma on Monday of last week. The overseer instructed Perkins to load scrapers driven by Wittenburg and another man. Wittenburg refused to allow Perkins to do so, on account of an old feud between the two men. Perkins insisted on loading the scraper and to prevent him from doing so unhitched his team. A war of words followed, ending by Perkins hitting his antagonist in the side with a clod of hard dirt, and breaking a rib. He threw another time but missed Wittenberge. The men then clinched, and Wittenberge was thrown to the ground and received several blows. Bystanders then interfered. Wittenburg's face and head was badly bruised, it is said by striking a bank in the fall.

A New Packing House.

Goodwin & Jean have begun the erection of a new packing house, on the railroad just south of where Crown street crosses it. The piling foundations are in, and a well almost completed. The main building will be 50x25 feet. To the south end of this will be built a large ice house, and attached on the southwest, between the house and First street will be a large poultry house. When completed it will be a very complete packing establishment.

The Boys Were Hoodooed.

The Lutesville and Marble Hill second base ball teams played a match game at the base ball park last Saturday. That is they thought they played, but when the game was finished it was the current opinion that Marble Hill was not playing to hurt. They were only trying. Hobbs had the Hill boys hoodooed, and when they did hit his balls it was only for one base. They almost always died before reaching the home plate.

The score was 45 to 19 in favor of Lutesville, and the base ball enthusiasts in that town are correspondingly elated. When one comes down to solid thinking it looks very much as if nobody was playing ball or such a town ball score would never have piled up.

Look Out.

The Leader is going to forge further to the lead. Beginning with August 1. The Leader will inaugurate a Grand Clearing Sale, to make room for Fall and Winter goods. Mr. Rosenblum assures the editor that he is willing to sell everything in the store.

LAFLIN NEWS.

And Still Farmer Jones Keeps Coming.

Health is good.
No births to report this week.
Our farmers are about through threshing wheat.

The stock of goods in our town assigned by Hon. O. J. Snider has been inventoried.

The boys raised several disturbances at the threshings last week. The spirit of the lawless and criminal sheet edited in the Hillside city was put into execution, and the blood of our countrymen was freely spilled.

Two of the boys of this place, after reading this criminal sheet were induced to try shoplifting. Entering the store of Snider & Clippard they extracted a pair of shoes a lot of handkerchiefs etc. They did not get far, however, until they were overhauled and made to disgorge their booty.

I notice one of those copywrigted missionary sermons on Republicanism in that filthy little Banner, signed by One of the Boys of Laffin, in which the Parson, after erroneously identifying Farmer Jones, proceeds to attack him personally. He slings at him the usual volley of profane slang and heaps upon him the usual malicious and slanderous false allegations that are known only to him and published only in his lawless and criminal little sheet. Farmer Jones' head has been sprinkled by the frosts of many of Bollinger county's winters. He is familiar with the domes in Bollinger county for half a century and has not nor will not write one word that is not as true as Divine Revelation. He has never even as much as visited a lodge of the Union or Alliance, he never attended a Third party meeting nor listened to a Third party speech, he has never been a candidate for office and never expects to be. He knows the distinguished citizen who is indicated in this slanderous article, however, and knows him to be a consistent Democrat who has not affiliated with the Third party further than to try to convert them from them from their wild and visionary theories. He like all good Democrats has a high regard for that band of our most worthy farmers who constitute the Third party of Bollinger county because he knows that they are prompted by a spirit of patriotism and love for our common country, and unlike the hot-headed Republicans in whose nostrils the mere name of Democrat or Populist creates a stench, and who never known to speak the noun Democrat unless they apply the adjective fool, liar, scoundrel or thief. Farmer Jones knows further that this distinguished citizens has been robbed by The Boys who, through fraud and false pretense obtained his goods, and from time to time burglarized his grocery store at this place, and finally through malice had him indicted by the United States grand jury for a crime he never committed or to hide their guilt attempt to slander him through a dirty little criminal sheet whose pages are always open to profanity, slang, false charges malice and all forms of corruption, and which is now engaged in a system of black mail by threatening to denounce and otherwise expose the nominees of its own party if they do not pay its specified tribute. Farmer Jones knows further that the circulation of this corrupt sheet is the leading cause of our heavy criminal costs this year, and as proof he calls the attention of every fair minded man in this county to the fact that soon after its circulation there was organized in Liberty township a band of The Boys whose object it was to murder and rob eleven of our best citizens. They proceeded to carry out the object by entering the sleeping apartments of a worthy citizen, and under cover of midnight darkness blew his brains into the face of a loving wife and children. The

gun was so heavily charged as to leave large pieces of paper on the floor, which, we have been credibly informed, were identified as a copy of this same sheet. We invite an inspection of the issues of this sheet at the time to prove that it did all in its power to shield the real criminals in this case. Even long after they were wearing the stripes of our state prison it contained lengthy articles from their pen in justification of their crime.

Here at Laffin and among those who read the sheet was organized another band of The Boys whose object was to disturb religious worship, discharge firearms on our streets, disturb the peace of private families and insult ladies in the privacy of their bedchambers in the absence of those who are their protectors. Notwithstanding the fact that these boys were largely from families drawing support from a Democratic administration, they had not the wherewith to pay their fines, when brought to justice by our efficient officers, hence the cost to the county. The Boys have shown a spirit of lawlessness after reading this criminal sheet. Some have gone to hogstealing, shoplifting, etc. In fact our prisons have been full of them at the county's cost. I wish to call the attention of the wise ministry of the county to the evil influence of this profane and vulgar sheet, and entreat them to denounce it from the pulpit as unfit to be placed in the home of a christian family, and to warn their flocks against reading or listening to its contents lest they be held by that Being who is wisdom and justice, as accessory to the sin and crime committed under its baneful influence. I am not given to exaggeration, nor am I a radical on any subject, hence do not object to the political complexion of this paper, but it is the spirit of animosity and malice to which I object, and I invite an inspection of its pages, and if it is not found a mass of slang, profanity and villainous slander, I am in error.

The spirit of this lawless sheet is the same spirit prevailed when negroes voted and Democrats were disfranchised. Farmer Jones waved a Democratic banner then, and if he dies in the ditch he will be found holding the same banner aloft to the breezes of grand old Democratic Bollinger. There is no possibility of a Republican being elected this year, since the manifestation of this spirit animosity. The Democrats of this county have always been very liberal with the Republican minority. When we had 700 majority we honored a distinguished Republican with the highest office within our gift. We have given them judgeships and they now have the circuit clerk's office. But in every instance these men have come to us in a spirit of friendliness, endeavoring to gain our suffrage by moral suasion and not by abuse or coercion.

It is a blot upon the fair name of our county that any man is so void of instincts or proclivities of a gentleman as to declare his intention of assessing the county regardless of the wish of the people—a man who has openly, through the press of his party threatened to force an entrance into a private home and within the family circle spill the hearts blood of those who dare oppose him—that he should receive a nomination from any party.

In haste, FARMER JONES.

For Three Years.

Louis J. Silva, charged with embezzling \$75,000 from the Reinwater-Bradford Hat company of St. Louis was given three years in the penitentiary by a jury at Booneville last Saturday. Judge Shackelford tried the case. It had been appealed to the supreme courts, Governor Johnson representing Silva. Sylva claims that his trial was unfair.

D. D. Hart, the Democratic nominee for constable of Liberty township this week announces for that office. He is a worthy young man and deserves your help.